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TAGS: CSCE, PFOR, GW, GE, FR, UK

SUBJ: CSCE: FRENCH VIEWS ON RESERVATION ON FOUR- POWER RIGHTS

REF: STATE 126959

1. LATE JUNE 28, QUAI DEPUTY DIRECTOR FOR CENTRAL EUROPE BOYER TOLD EMBOFF PARIS HAD SENT INSTRUCTIONS TO FRENCH REP IN BONN GROUP TO ASSOCIATE WITH US DISCLAIMER AT CSCE, IF OTHER ALLIES AGREED TO DO LIKEWISE. BOYER SAID FRENCH PREFERENCE IS FOR DISCLAIMER DURING SECOND OR THIRD STAGE OF CSCE, WHEN GOF BELIEVES CSCE DECLARATION OF PRINCIPLES WILL BEGIN TO TAKE SHAPE. BOYER ALSO TOOK NOTE OF FACT THAT US SCHEDULED TO SPEAK AFTER UK AND FRANCE AT CSCE MINISTERIAL, " THUS MAKING IT AWKWARD FOR OTHER ALLIES TO ASSOCIATE WITH UNITED STATES' REMARKS."

2. FOLLOWING RECEIPT OF REFTEL AND DISCUSSION WITH BONN (FROWICK- ANDERSON TELCON), WE ASKED BOYER TO CONSIDER PER
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STATE 124263 INCLUSION OF A SIMPLE SENTENCE IN OPENING STATEMENT
AT STAGE ONE AS A METHOD OF HANDLING THE PROBLEM LEAST LIKELY
TO SPARK CONTROVERSY. WE NOTED THAT UK SEEMED TO FAVOR THIS
APPROACH.

3. BOYER LISTENED CAREFULLY TO OUR REMARKS, REITERATED THAT
QUAI FAVORS ISSUANCE OF DISCLAIMER STATEMENT DURING STAGE
TWO OR THREE, BUT INDICATED FRENCH WOULD MAINTAIN OPEN
MIND ON THE MATTER PENDING FINAL BONN GROUP DECISION.
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